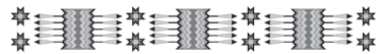




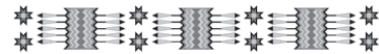
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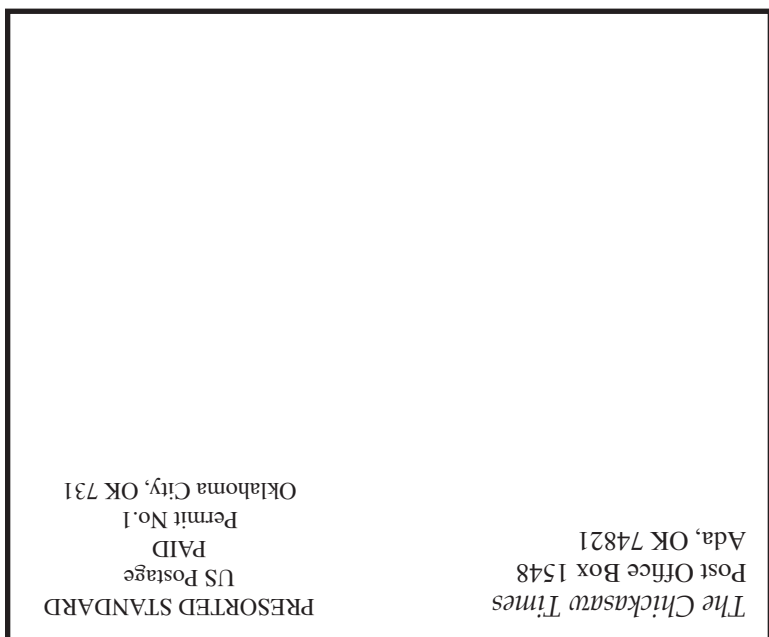
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Chickasaw Princess Pageant October 2 at Ada High

ADA, Okla.—Three young women will be selected Chickasaw royalty during the 2006-2007 Chickasaw Princess Pageant. The pageant is set for 6 p.m., Monday, Oct. 2, at the Ada High School Cougar Activity Center.

Chickasaw Princess, Junior Chickasaw Princess and Little Miss Chickasaw will be announced during the ceremony. The new Chickasaw royalty will begin their reigns a few days later when Chickasaw Nation Governor Bill Anoatubby crowns them at the Chickasaw Annual Meeting.

Princess candidates are judged on interviewing skills, traditional Chickasaw dress, answering random

questions, talent competition and poise on stage.

The royalty will have the honor and privilege of representing the Chickasaw Nation at various functions and events across Oklahoma and the U.S.

The Chickasaw princesses have been making appearances for many years. The heritage of the princesses goes back to 1963 when Ranell (James) Harry, daughter of former Chickasaw Governor Overton James, was appointed the first princess.

Current Chickasaw royalty completing their reigns are Chickasaw Princess Tamela Alexander, Junior Chickasaw Princess Jaisen Monetathchi and Little Miss Chickasaw Halley Taylor.

Chickasaw Princess Candidate

Monica Seawright



Monica Seawright

Monica Machel Seawright is the 19-year-old daughter of Anita and Wilson Seawright. She is a sophomore at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, majoring in business.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Princess"

The Chickasaw Nation has a strong rich culture and an enticing history. Part of that history is because of Chickasaw women. They represented our tribe in the most amazing ways. They have been involved in local, tribal, and state governments as well as traveling the world telling our stories. Since I was a little girl I have learned so much about these women and how they have inspired others. These women have not only represented our tribe but they have also represented themselves. They stood up for who they were, showing the world that it is ok to be proud of their heritage. These women are role models to me, which is what I hope to be for others someday. I not only want to be a role model for the younger generation but the older genera-

tion as well.

By having the honor of becoming Chickasaw Princess there would be more opportunities to be a role model for all generations. I would show them that they do not have to be afraid of what people will say and just be proud of who they are. People need to know more about our culture so that it can be passed on and preserved throughout history.

Becoming the next Chickasaw Princess would be a privilege and knowing that I would be an ambassador for my people gives me such joy. If I am chosen I will represent the Chickasaw Nation with pride and willingness to carry out all my duties to the best of my ability. I will tell others about our culture as Chickasaws to prevent it from dying away. I am proud of who I am and I want others to know it.

Chickasaw Junior Princess Candidates

Jessie Miller



Jessie Miller

Jessie Mae Miller is the 16-year-old daughter of Shannon Nicole Russell Treat and the late Jeffery Lee Miller. She is a junior at Byng High School, Byng, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

Chukma! My name is Jessie Miller. My parents are Shannon Treat, the late Jeff Miller, and stepfather James Treat. My grandparents are Charley and Suzanne Russell, the late Shirley and Bill Miller, Leroy and Carol

Treat, and the late Wanda Treat all of Ada, Okla.

I am a junior at Byng High School, and I am 16 years old. I am an active member in my youth group at Okchamali Baptist Church, Connerville, Okla. I like to study different languages and attended the Chickasaw language class this past year. I really enjoyed it and I learned a lot. I want to take more classes in the future so that I can speak more of the Chickasaw language.

I like to sing, play the piano, attend church, perform as a trotter, and participate in camp activities hosted by the Chickasaw Nation.

The reason why I want to be the Chickasaw Junior Princess is because I think I have what it takes to represent my tribe and my nation. I would love going places and meeting new people and the experience would be great.



Victoria Miller



Victoria Miller

Victoria Kaye Miller is the 13-year-old daughter of Tom D. and Sherrie L. (Thompson) Miller. She attends the seventh grade at Latta Junior High School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

Why I want to become an Indian Princess is because I always wanted to be one but I couldn't because I had a lot of family problems. But I think this is what I want, I am Chickasaw. I love who I am because people always say that I am nice to

them and I believe them. I have a best friend who is Kendell Chitto. She believes that we will be best friends forever and she believes in me and that I could be an Indian Princess. I wish that you would pick me because this would be the first. I know there

are others but this is what I really want. I hope you give me a chance because I think this would be good for me. I hope you will pick me and that is all I have to say.

Thank you!

Victoria Miller

2005 - 2006 Royalty



Current Chickasaw royalty completing their reigns, from left, are Junior Chickasaw Princess Jaisen Monetathchi, Little Miss Chickasaw Halley Taylor and Chickasaw Princess Tamela Alexander.

Chickasaw Junior Princess Candidates

Catie Newport



Catie Newport

Catie Jill Newport is the 14-year-old daughter of Drucilla Dawn De Coteau-Jacob and Steven Todd Jacob. She is a freshman at Ada Junior High School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

My name is Catie Newport and I am a freshman at Ada Junior High School. I would like to be Junior Miss Chickasaw Princess because I think it would be a great honor to represent the Chickasaw Nation and its people. I am very proud of my Chickasaw heritage and I have been raised to respect the ways and teaching from my elders. From them, I have learned to strive for perfection and push toward my dreams.

I feel that I would do an excellent job of representing the Chickasaw Nation and our people. Winning the title of Junior Miss would be a great honor for me and my family, and one that I would treat with the

utmost respect.

I feel that by showing the youth of not only our tribe, but also the youth of the Native people, a positive role model they have something to strive for in their future.

After getting first runner-up in 2003 I knew that I couldn't give up on wearing the crown. A very important person told me that "You've got to do what you don't want to do" and that is what I'm living on.

If selected as the Chickasaw Junior Princess I would represent the Chickasaw Nation to the best ability, and uphold my responsibilities while serving the 2006-2007 Chickasaw Junior Princess along with Chickasaw Princess and Little Miss Chickasaw.

Adreanna Underhill



Adreanna Underhill

Adreanna Caroline Underhill is the 13-year-old daughter of Victor Underhill and DeAnna Lynne Underhill (Alexander). She attends the seventh grade at Ada Junior High School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

I should be Chickasaw Nation Junior Princess because I need to learn more about my heritage. My heritage as an Indian. They don't really teach about our heritage in school. I think being a Chickasaw Princess would help me understand my heritage. You can't have experience from reading or going online. I know I will learn more about being a Chickasaw Indian by being Chickasaw Princess. There are many reasons why I should be Chickasaw Princess. One is because I want to help people, animals, senior citizens and

children. Wouldn't it be cool if our world were perfect! Flawless, no children going hungry, no animals becoming extinct, no more acid rain, no more worrying if our elders are being properly taken care of, no more young teenage girls becoming prostitute or young children being in porn. No more homicide, no more suicide, no more gangs, skin heads or juveniles becoming fugitives and last but not definitely not least, no more prejudice. In a nutshell, this would not happen in a "Perfect World."

I think being Chickasaw Princess would inspire me, give me the courage to help with this "stuff." To make our communities, streets, towns, states, continents, our whole world a better place. We can't get rid of crimes, badness, famine, and our elders, or problems, our thoughts of suicide or murder. But we can give people hope, faith, a dream that we can. Children, people, us, we can help these people if we want to. I think being Chickasaw Princess would be an inspiration to help give people a dream that we the people of the world can get rid of this "stuff". No one's perfect, that's why our world is the way it is, in a perfect world this would never happen. I know from the top of my heart, to the deepest bottom, I am not the only one who wants this. There are hundreds, maybe even thousands who want this too. I want the courage to be able to help.

Another reason I want to be the Chickasaw Princess is because my relatives and ancestors would be proud. At school it's kind of hard to get awards at school because there are so many kids at school. I've gotten awards for reading, and "stuff," but it was hard and any obstacles contest is hard, but with a person's determination and will there is a way to achieve. But I would like to be Chickasaw Princess because if I achieve this I can achieve anything.

My last reason is because I want to represent my heritage, my tribe.

Nacobi Walker



Nacobi Walker

Nacobi Chantau Walker is the 14-year-old daughter of Darrell Wayne and Johnna Rozanne (Ellis) Walker. She is a freshman at Ada Junior High School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

Hello! My name is Nacobi Chantau Walker. I am 14 1/2-years-old and in the ninth grade at Ada Junior High. I am currently involved with the TSA (Technology Student Association). I have been the vice-president for two years that I have been in the club.

The reason I would like to be the Chickasaw Junior Princess is so that I could learn more about

my culture, further my dreams and be a role model for girls younger and older who wish to become an ambassador for the Great Unconquered and Unconquerable Chickasaw Nation.

I believe I could represent our Nation and honor it with respect. I am currently learning the language and helping my siblings to learn the language as well. My grandmother, JoAnn Ellis, speaks the language as do my

parents.

I have also participated with the Chickasaw Dance Troupe, and stomp-danced at some of our Chickasaw homelands, which included Chattanooga, Tennessee; Tusculumbia, Alabama; and Pontotoc, Mississippi.

If chosen to be the 2006-2007 Chickasaw Junior Princess, I would be a great leader and ambassador for the Chickasaw Nation and our people.

Ryan Walker



Ryan Walker

Ryan Walker is the 15-year-old daughter of Curtis Walker and Cheryl Denise Alexander

Walker. She is a sophomore at Byng High School, Byng, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Chickasaw Junior Princess"

Chukma,

My name is Ryan Walker. I am 15/16 Chickasaw. I am 15-years-old and a sophomore at Byng High School.

I have seen the past princesses serve their reign with such class and elegance, that I have learned to have such adoration and respect for them, that it has made me want to become a role model for others. Also, I believe young people need a role model, to look up to, to be able to see what a difference someone our

age can make.

The princess serves as an ambassador for the Chickasaw Nation. I believe I could also walk in their moccasins. It would be such a privilege and an honor to be able to represent my native tribe with dignity and pride that maybe other young girls would want to pass on this great tradition in becoming the future Chickasaw Junior Princess.

So you see, it's more to me than just wearing the crown. It's a responsibility. A responsibility I would be proud to uphold.

Yakoke



Little Miss Chickasaw Candidates

Pakanli Ramsey



Pakanli Ramsey

Pakanli Faye Ramsey is the seven-year-old daughter of Michael Ramsey and Jennifer Watson. She attends second grade at Homer Elementary School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

I would be excited to join the other girls at events to represent the Chickasaw Nation and Chickasaw Heritage. I will be proud and do my best to show what I can do. I will show respect for others and be kind to others. I will show respect to others in the pageant.

Faithlyn Seawright



Faithlyn Seawright

Faithlyn Taloa Seawright is the eight-year-old daughter of Gwen Burris and Larry Seawright. She attends the third grade at Latta Elementary School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

Halito!

I am Faithlyn Taloa Seawright. I am eight years old and a third-grader at Latta Elementary. I enjoy playing basketball, reading and going to pow-wows. I am in my second year of piano and fourth year of ballet. I am also in the ABBIT (A's and B's Because I Try) Honor Society. My parents are Gwen Burris and Larry Seawright. I have four brothers—Trent, Trev, Lance and Logan, a sister Ke-Ke, and two cats, Fiona and Junior.

Last year I was named first

runner-up in the Little Miss Chickasaw pageant and I really enjoyed everything about the pageant's activities! Everyone was so kind and all the contestants became friends. It was great!

This year I hope to capture the title as Little Miss Chickasaw so I can meet new people at various events and proudly represent my tribe everywhere I go. It will be an honor to wear the crown and to let people know that I am from the Unconquered and Unconquerable Chickasaw Nation.

Yakoke!

Faithlyn Seawright

Kacie Seeley



Kacie Seeley

Washington Elementary School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

Chukma! My name is Kacie Cheyenne Seeley. I am in the third grade at Washington Elementary School. I am 23/32 Chickasaw. I have one brother named Weston and a baby sister named C.J. The reason I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw Princess is because I had so much fun last year meeting other girls like me that are proud to be Chickasaw too. So I wanted to be in the pageant again. So please vote for me.

Kacie Cheyenne Seeley is the eight-year-old daughter of Stephanie John and Justin Seeley. She attends third grade at

Alexis Walker



Alexis Walker

Alexis Olivia Walker is the 10-year-old daughter of Darrell Wayne and Johnna Rozanne (Ellis) Walker. She attends fifth grade at Willard Elementary School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

Hello! My name is Alexis Olivia Walker. I am 10-years-old and in the fifth grade at Willard Elementary Grade Center, Ada. I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw. The reason I would

like to be Little Miss Chickasaw is because I think it would be a great opportunity to learn more about my Chickasaw heritage meet new people and visit new places. I would also like to learn more of the Chickasaw language.

It would be a great experience to represent the Chickasaw people. Thank you for considering me for the position of Little Miss Chickasaw.

Caitlynn Sparlin



Caitlynn Sparlin

Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

Chukma! My name is Caitlynn Marie Sparlin. I am seven years old. I am the daughter of Clarice Shirley-Monetathchi and Joseph Sparlin, II. I attend Tishomingo Elementary School and am in the second grade. My hobbies are basketball, swimming, gymnastics and cheerleading.

I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw because I am Indian. If I would win I would be proud to represent my tribe. I would like to meet new people and try new things. I would also like to be Little Miss Chickasaw because my mother, my aunt, and my cousins have been Chickasaw princesses and I want to be one too.

Caitlynn Marie Sparlin is the 7-year-old daughter of Joseph W. Sparlin II and Clarice Shirley-Monetathchi. She attends second grade at Tishomingo Elementary School, Tishomingo,

Krysten Wallace



Krysten Wallace

Krysten Rachelle Wallace is the eight-year-old daughter of Jason and Kristi Poe Wallace. She attends the second grade at Hayes Elementary School, Ada, Okla.

"Why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw"

Chukma!

My name is Krysten Rachelle Wallace. I'm eight years old and I'm in the second grade at Hayes Elementary. My teacher this

year is Mrs. Truitt. I enjoy going to church, swimming, singing and playing softball. I'm also a member of Okchamali Blue Baptist Church in Connerville, Okla.

My parents are Jason and Kristi Wallace and I'm the big sister of Jacob Wallace. My maternal grandparents are Leo and Debra Poe and the late David and Opal Poe and the late Gerald "Sippy" and Pearl Hart. My great-great-aunt is Geraldine King.

My paternal grandparents are Joe and Hazel Wallace. My great-grandma is Pauline Walker and the late Simon Walker and the late Limmy and Nora Wallace.

Now I would like to tell you the reason why I would like to be Little Miss Chickasaw Princess. The number one reason is because I'm a Chickasaw Citizen

and my family has always taught me to be proud of my culture. I would like to learn more about my culture and heritage also. I would be able to go to different states and would get to learn about the other tribes to. It would give me the opportunity to show other kids my ethnic background that I come from. I would also be able to share with people the relationship I have with God and meet new people. It would give me the chance to grow in the Chickasaw Nation and give girls the chance to see that you can accomplish anything you set your mind to do. So if I'm chosen to represent the Chickasaw Nation as the new Little Miss Chickasaw Princess, it would not only be an honor to me it would be an honor to my family. It would also be a part of my life I would cherish and remember for the rest of my life.

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2004 - 2005 Chickasaw Royalty

Tamela Alexander
Chickasaw Princess

Jaisen Monetathchi
Junior Chickasaw Princess

Halley Taylor
Little Miss Chickasaw



Annual Meeting and Festival begins September 30



"A New Day Dawning" by Chickasaw artist Jeannie Barbour.

TISHOMINGO, Okla. - The Chickasaw Nation's annual week-long celebration of tribal culture and heritage is set for September 30-October 7 in Tishomingo. The 46th Annual Meeting of the Chickasaw Nation and the 18th Annual Chickasaw Festival will once again welcome thousands of Chickasaws and guests.

Many events will take place at the historic capitol of the Chickasaw Nation, as well as Ada and Kullihoma stomp

grounds.

Chickasaw Nation Governor Bill Anoatubby will deliver the annual "State of the Nation" address 9 a.m. Saturday, October 7 at Fletcher Auditorium on the campus of Murray State College in Tishomingo.

"We always look forward to this time of year," Gov. Anoatubby said. "The annual meeting and festival is a great time for Chickasaw families to gather and celebrate our culture and history."

Immediately following the "State of the Nation" address, the traditional parade will proceed down Tishomingo's Main Street.

The traditional Chickasaw Lunch will be served on the

Murray State campus at noon Saturday.

Cultural and dance troupe demonstrations, Chickasaw Artists exhibition, Band Day Extravaganza, horseshoe tournament, fast pitch softball tournament and more will be enjoyed by festival-goers.

The much-anticipated launch of the newly-published book "Chickasaws" will take place at 1:30 p.m. Saturday in Tishomingo.

Festival events and activities will be conducted on the grounds of the historic Chickasaw capitol, Pennington Park, Murray State College campus, Johnston County Sports complex and other venues.

Several events have been

scheduled to take place throughout the week. These include the Chickasaw Princess Pageant, Junior Olympics, softball and golf tournaments, Youthful Celebration, cultural tours and demonstrations, Heritage Preservation Awards, kids' "Fun to Learn" tent, senior arts and crafts tent, JC Riding Club rodeo, and a cultural evening at Kullihoma.

For information about the Annual Meeting Festival, call (580) 371-2040 or 1 (800) 593-3356.

Festival to feature Southeastern Art Show and Market

Southeastern artists from across the nation are cordially invited to participate in the Chickasaw Nation 2006 Southeastern Art Show and Market (SEASAM.) The competitive exhibit will begin Thursday, October 5 and conclude Saturday, October 7 as a part of the 46th Annual Meeting and Festival in Tishomingo, Oklahoma.

Conducted on the grounds of the tribe's beautiful historic capital, the outside market offers south-eastern artists the opportunity to showcase and market their works.

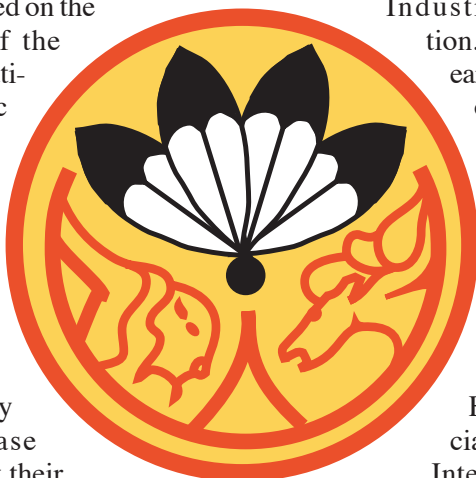
Each artist may enter up to two pieces of artwork in two categories of his choice (four total entries.) Medals will be awarded to first, second and third place winners in each category-two dimensional: painting, drawing, graphics, photography, two dimensional open and three dimensional: beadwork/quill work, sculpture, jewelry, pottery, basketry, textile/weavings/clothing and three dimensional open-best of division in both two and three dimensional and best in show.

Winners will be announced Thursday evening, October 5, during the Chickasaw Nation Arts and Culture Awards Ceremony conducted at Fletcher Auditorium on the campus of Murray State College.

Recognized as an "Outstanding Event" by the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department and the Oklahoma Travel

Industry Association. Festival has earned the honor of receiving the bronze medal in the Grand Pinnacle Award from the International Festival and Events Association.

Interested artists are encouraged to complete an application packet containing an official entry form, biographical information and artwork specification by Tuesday, September 26, 2006. Inquiries may be directed to SEASAM chair Trina Jones or Julie Burwell, Special Projects Director, Chickasaw Nation Division of Arts and Humanities at 580-332-1092 or 580-272-5520 or e-mail trina.jones@chickasaw.net or julie.burwell@chickasaw.net. Applications are available online at www.chickasaw.net.



the CHICKASAW NATION SOUTHEASTERN ART SHOW & MARKET				
SEASAM				
APPLICATION				
Name: _____		Tribal Affiliation: _____		
Address: _____				
Street		City	State	Zip Code
Telephone: daytime () _____ after 5 p.m. () _____				
E-mail: _____		Web site address (if available): _____		
Art medium you will be displaying (i.e. painting, jewelry, sculpture, etc): _____				
The undersigned hereby releases and agrees to hold harmless the Chickasaw Nation from any damage to undersigned's property or any personal injury which he/she or helpers may sustain while participating in the Southeastern Art Show and Market. I understand that I will display and store my artwork at my own risk. I understand that this is a juried market and I will accept the jury decision without question.				
Artist's Signature: _____		Date: _____		
I would like to be included on the Chickasaw Nation's Artist Directory and mailing list to receive information on upcoming shows, gallery exhibits, children's art camps, etc.: Yes or No				
Please enclose the following by September 26, 2006:				
*For online application visit www.chickasaw.net				
1)	Completed application form			
2)	Four examples of your work in the following formats: 35mm color slides or digital images on disc (jpeg or tiff preferred)			
3)	Biography describing yourself, your artwork, awards, shows, education, etc.			
4)	Proof of Native American Citizenship in a federally recognized tribe			
5)	\$25 Application fee (non-refundable)			
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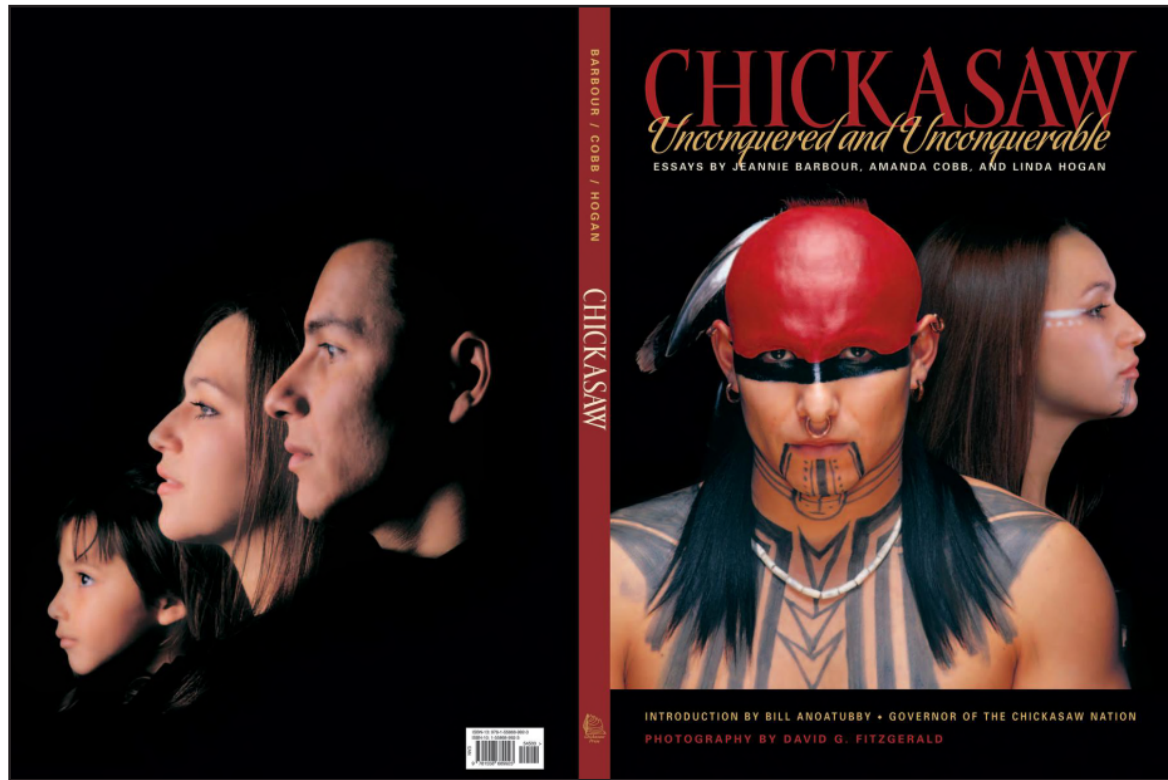
Unique, enthralling 'Chickasaw' to be launched at Festival

Known for its innovative programs, businesses and services the Chickasaw Nation has announced another first: the inaugural publishing and book launch of "Chickasaw: Unconquered and Unconquerable" beginning at 1:30 on Saturday, October 7, on the historic tribal capitol grounds in Tishomingo, Oklahoma. The beautiful and vibrant hardbound book illustrates the story of the Chickasaw Nation.

"Readers will experience a story of survival, persistence, history and culture of a people not only determined to survive, but to prosper and build successful and meaningful lives," said Bill Anoatubby, Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

Telling the proud story of the third largest Native American tribe in the United States, the 128-page book features color photography by renowned three-time Oklahoma Photographer of the Year David Fitzgerald. The volume features graphics, art, essays, recollections and memoirs of the Chickasaw people from Removal to present day.

A testament to the resilience



and strength of tribal citizens, the book spotlights notables such as Mary Te Ata Thompson Fisher, beloved storyteller and actress who performed before kings and queens and broke down barriers and stereotypes for indigenous peoples from all walks of life;

John B. Herrington, retired U. S. Navy Commander and the first Native American astronaut to fly in space, he carried a Chickasaw flag presented to him by Gov. Anoatubby; Tom Cole, a U. S. representative serving in Oklahoma's 4th District and the

great-grand nephew of Te Ata; Mike Larsen, named Master Artist of the Five Civilized Tribes Museum, he has captured history and revealed the spiritual hearts of those he paints and sculpts; and Dr. Judy Goforth Parker, professor of nursing at

East Central University in Ada, Okla., nationally recognized for her efforts to further culturally sensitive diabetes education and intervention.

"This book retells the story of our people and salutes them for their determination and drive," Lona Barrick, Chickasaw Nation Division of Arts and Humanities Administrator, said. "Our readers will enjoy turning the pages and seeing beloved friends and family members as we invite others to experience the proud tradition of the Chickasaw."

Published by the Chickasaw Press in association with Graphic Arts Center Publishing, the book features essays by Jeannie Barbour, Amanda Cobb, Linda Hogan and an introduction by Bill Anoatubby, Governor of the Chickasaw Nation.

Available at bookstores nationwide, it is also available for purchase online at www.gacpc.com, www.chickasaw.net and www.amazon.com.

For more information, please contact the Chickasaw Nation Division of Arts and Humanities, at (580) 272-5520.

Come join us for Annual Meeting and Festival!



2006 Chickasaw Annual Meeting and Festival

September 30 - October 7

See schedule of events on back page

For additional information about the 2006 Chickasaw Annual Meeting & Festival, call 1-800-593-3356.

2006 Chickasaw Annual Meeting and Festival

September 2006

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<i>EVENT</i>	<i>VENUE</i>	<i>DATE</i>	<i>TIME</i>
Jr. Olympics	THS	Sept. 30	10 a.m. - Until Finished
Co-Ed Slow Pitch Softball Tournament	MSC/JCSC	Sept. 30	9 a.m. - Until Finished
Golf Tournament	Tishomingo Golf Course	Sept. 30	9 a.m. - Until Finished
Chickasaw Princess Pageant	Ada Cougar Activity Center	Oct. 2	6 p.m.
Cultural Tours, Cultural Demonstrations	Capitol Grounds	Oct.3-Oct. 6	9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Kids' Fun to Learn Tent	Pennington Park	Oct.3-Oct.6	9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Chickasaw Nation Senior Arts & Crafts	Capitol Grounds	Oct. 5	9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
		Oct. 7	10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Cultural Evening	Kullihoma – Ada	Oct. 3	4 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Chickasaw Nation Arts and Culture Awards	Fletcher Auditorium	Oct. 5	6 p.m.
JC Riding Club Rodeo	Tee Pee Arena (Tishomingo)	Oct.6- Oct. 7	8 p.m. - Until Finished
Fast Pitch Softball Tournaments (Womens & Mens)	Jo. Co. Sports Complex/MSC	Oct.6-Oct. 7	7 p.m. (Fri.) 9a.m. (Sat.)
Chickasaw Citizen Registration	Murray College/Student Center	Oct. 7	8 a.m.
Chickasaw State of the Nation Address	Fletcher Auditorium- MSC	Oct. 7	9 a.m. - Until Finished
Chickasaw Artists Exhibition	Grounds behind Capitol	Oct. 6-Oct.7	10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Band Day Extravaganza	THS	Oct. 7	11:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Parade	Main Street	Oct. 7	11:30 a.m. - Until Finished
Chickasaw White House Tours	Emet, Okla.	Oct. 7	Throughout the day
Cultural Demonstrators	Capitol Grounds	Oct. 7	10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Chickasaw Lunch	MSC Campus	Oct. 7	Noon
“Chickasaws” Book Launch	Capitol Grounds Lawn	Oct. 7	1:30 p.m.
Pennington Park Activities Begin	Pennington Park	Oct. 7	10:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Horseshoe Tournament Registration	Pennington Park	Oct. 7	12:00 - 12:45p.m.
Horseshoe Tournament	Pennington Park	Oct. 7	1 p.m.
Dance Troupe Demonstrations	Capitol Grounds	Oct. 7	1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
Finals of Fast Pitch Tournament	MSC/JCSC	Oct. 8	9 a.m. - Until Finished



MSC = Murray State College
JCSC = Johnston County Sports Complex
THS= Tishomingo High School

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